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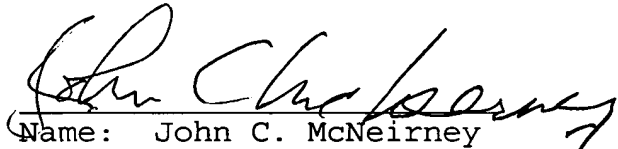
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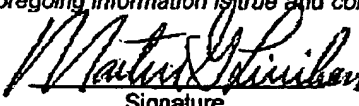
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## PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Medeva Pharmaceuticals PA, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, United States of America, having its principal office at 755 Jefferson Road, Rochester, NY 14603, became the owner of the Letters Patent of the United States listed in Exhibit A attached hereto and hereby made a part hereof, and of the Application for Letters Patent listed in Exhibit B attached hereto and hereby made a part hereof, and of the Inventions set forth therein;

AND WHEREAS, Minrad Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, United States of America, having its principal office at 836 Main Street, 2nd Floor, Buffalo, NY 14202, has acquired from said Medeva Pharmaceuticals PA, Inc. the entire right, title, and interest in, to, and under said Inventions, said Letters Patent of the United States listed in Exhibit A and said Application for Letters Patent listed in Exhibit B, and wishes to have its right, title and interest therein, thereto and thereunder confirmed;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of and in exchange for the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to it in hand paid by Minrad Inc. and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Medeva Pharmaceuticals PA, Inc. has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and does hereby sell, assign, transfer, set over and confirm unto Minrad Inc. the entire right, title and interest in and to said Inventions, and in and to said Letters Patent of the United States listed in Exhibits A and in and to said Application for Letters Patent listed in Exhibit B, and any continuations, divisions and reissues thereof, the same to be held and enjoyed by Minrad Inc. for its own use and enjoyment, and for the use and enjoyment of its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, to the end of the term or terms for which the said Patents and Applications are or may be granted or reissued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Medeva Pharmaceuticals PA, Inc. if this assignment and sale had not been made; together with all claims for damages by reason of past infringement of said Patents,

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And said Medeva Pharmaceuticals PA, Inc. further agrees to sign and properly execute such necessary and lawful papers for applications for foreign patents, and for filing subdivisions or continuations of said Application for Letters Patent, and/or for obtaining any reissue or reexamination of any Letters Patent which have been or may be granted for the aforesaid Inventions as the assignee thereof shall hereafter require and prepare at its own expense.

This assignment is made of the 15 day of December, 2000.

Medeva Pharmaceuticals PA, Inc.

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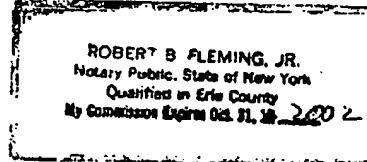
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## EXHIBIT B

Patent Application

Continuation Patent Application, Serial No. 09/337,019 for "Method for the Preparation of Sevoflurane" filed in the U.S. Patent and Trade Office on June 21, 1999, which is a continuation of Serial No. 08/912,520, filed August 18, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 5,969,193 (Terrell).

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